

Seminar and Brown Bag Schedule

Summer 2008

SEMINAR SERIES: **REQUIRED** for participants in **DOE funded programs** unless otherwise noted

Location: Building 4500N, Weinberg Auditorium, unless otherwise noted.

Time: 3:30 – 5:00 on Wednesdays, unless otherwise noted.

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Date, Topic and Speaker

- June 4:** **Oak Ridge National Laboratory: Taking on the Energy Challenge**
Michelle Buchanan, Associate Laboratory Director for Physical Sciences, ORNL
- June 11:** **ORNL Zero Energy Home Research**
Jeffrey Christian, Energy & Transportation Science Division, ORNL
- June 18:** **Cannibals in Space: Stellar Explosions and our Cosmic Origins**
Michael Smith, Physics Division, ORNL
- June 25:** **U.S. Energy Demand, Biofuels, and the Populus Genome**
Gerald Tuskan, Environmental Sciences Division, ORNL
- July 2:** **Abstracts, Posters, and Papers**
Wendy Williams, Biosciences Division, ORNL
- July 9:** **Nanomechanics and chemical sensing**
Thomas Thundat, Biosciences Division, ORNL
- July 16:** **Introduction to Photosynthesis, Renewable Hydrogen Production and Artificial Sight**
Elias Greenbaum, Chemical Sciences Division, ORNL
- July 23:** **New Developments in Scintillator Technology for Radiation Detection in National Security Scenarios**
Lynn Boatner, Materials Science and Technology Division, ORNL
- July 30:** **The Dust of Death: Forensic Anthropology**
Arpad Vass, Biosciences Division, ORNL
- August 6:** **Poster Session**
Lobby of Building 5100, schedule for presentations will be provided later.
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Summer 2008, Continued

BROWN BAGS: (Please bring your own lunch – Do NOT plan on taking additional time for lunch).
Brown Bags are held over the lunch hour to avoid impacting your time on your project.

Time: 12:00 -1:00 on Tuesdays, unless otherwise noted.

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June 17: **DOE Program Requirements**
Tuesday Linda Holmes, Associate Director, ORISE
Building 4500 N, Weinberg Auditorium

June 24: **Ethics in Science**
Tuesday Barry Berven, Biological and Environmental Sciences Directorate, ORNL
Building 4500 N, Weinberg Auditorium

OPTIONAL for all participants

July 8: **Atoms in Appalachia: A Secret City and Super Science**
Tuesday Steve Stow, Retired Scientist, ORNL
Bldg. 5100, Room 128

July 22: **How to Apply for a Graduate Scholarship or Fellowship**
Tuesday Leigh Ann Pennington, Group Manager, ORISE
Bldg. 5700, Room E104

August 5: **How to Choose a Graduate School**
Tuesday Sarah Cousineau, Research Accelerator Division, ORNL
Bldg. 5700, Room L204

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MAKE SURE YOU ASK YOUR MENTOR'S PERMISSION TO ATTEND ANY ACTIVITY THAT OCCURS MONDAY THROUGH FRIDAY !

**PLEASE TAKE WALKING OR DRIVING TIME INTO CONSIDERATION;
PLAN TO ARRIVE ON TIME FOR SCHEDULED EVENTS**